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CENTRAL MARICOPA AND SOUTHEAST MARICOPA REGIONAL PARTNERSHIP COUNCILS CARE COORDINATION REQUEST FOR GRANT APPLICATION # FTF-MULTI-10-0249-00 FACT SHEET

WHAT IS THE FIRST THINGS FIRST CENTRAL MARICOPA AND SOUTHEAST MARICOPA REGIONAL PARTNERSHIP COUNCILS' CARE COORDINATION GRANT PROGRAM?

The Central Maricopa Regional Partnership Council (RPC) and the Southeast Maricopa Regional Partnership Council (RPC) have identified the need to increase children's access to preventive health care through the promotion of a medical home model and care coordination. First Things First is seeking applicants to establish or expand an administrative home that will provide Care Coordination services to physician offices, clinics or other primary care settings in the Central Maricopa and Southeast Maricopa regions. Care Coordination services funded under this RFGA must serve children birth through age five and their families that reside or receive services within these zip code areas. Applicants are asked to give special consideration for targeting at risk and vulnerable populations, including: low-income families, pregnant and parenting teens, underserved families or families not currently being served, and families with children with special needs. All care coordination applicants must clearly demonstrate coordination with other health and human services programs, First Things First grantees, and other community resources to ensure that existing efforts are not duplicated.

WHAT IS THE TOTAL AMOUNT OF FUNDING AVAILABLE?

Approximately \$2,351,000 is available in this Request for Grant Application. For Central Maricopa, the total available funding for the period from May 1, 2010 – June 30, 2011 (14 months) is approximately \$1,290,000. For Southeast Maricopa, the total available funding for the period from May 1, 2010 – June 30, 2011 (14 months) is approximately \$1,061,000.

Requested funding must be proposed for two contract periods including a two (2) month contract from May 1 through June 30, 2010 and a twelve (12) month contract from July 1, 2010 through June 30, 2011. Contract renewal will be contingent upon satisfactory contract performance, evaluation and availability of funds.

PROPOSED TIMELINE FOR THE GRANT MAKING PROCESS

February 3, 2010	RFGA available on-line
February 12, 2010	Pre-application Conference 10:00 a.m. The Family Resource Center Board Room 817 N. Country Club Dr., Mesa, AZ 85201-4105
March 17, 2010	Applications due to the location listed in the RFGA by 2:00 p.m.
May 1, 2010	Anticipated grant awards made

HOW TO GET A COPY OF THE RFGA

Please visit the First Things First web site on or after February 3, 2010: <http://www.azftf.gov/>

QUESTIONS?

All questions must be submitted in writing and include RFGA # **FTF-MULTI-10-0249-00** in the subject line of the email or on the cover sheet of the fax.

Questions should be submitted to the Grants and Contracts Procurement Specialist via email at grants@azftf.gov or via fax at (602) 265-0009.